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IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 29th November, 1949

SUBJECT:—Import of articles covered by trade agreement from Czechoslovakia.

No. 2B(258)-ITC/49.—Importers are aware that a trade agreement exists between the Government of India and that of Czechoslovakia for the mutual supply of certain commodities upto the quantities agreed upon. In this Ministry's Public Notice dated the 12th September, 1949 regarding *Principles governing issue of import licences for the period July—December 1949*, it has been indicated that licences will be issued to cover articles provided for in the trade agreement, but in the detailed Schedule Appendix I the licensing position in respect of certain commodities covered by the above trade agreement has not been correctly stated; that is, against certain articles covered by the agreement it has been stated that the licences will be granted for "Open General Licence XV Concession Licences only" and against certain others "No licences" will be granted a list of some of the important articles which are in the trade agreement with Czechoslovakia but which are not specially mentioned in the Public Notice dated the 12th September 1949, is reproduced below:—

Description of goods	Part of ITC Schedule	Serial No.
1 Electricity Meters	II	39
2 Flashlights and torch light cases	II	46
3 Bangolite	III	1
4 Coal Tar Dyes	III	1B
5 Saccharine	IV	111
6 Corkware/Press cork	IV	154

Description of goods	Part of ITO Schedule	Serial No.
7 Porcelain for technical use, utility china, utility crockery	IV	240, 241, 242 and 243.
8 Safety glass		244
9 Technical and laboratory glass and wrapping glass	IV	247 and 248
10 Lighting glass	IV	249
11 Crown Corks	IV	275
12 Domestic Sewing machines	IV	287
13 Liquid gold	IV and V	110 of IV and 29 of V.
14 Creslic Acid	V	31
15 Potassium Ferrocyanide	V	31
16 Mineral waters (carlsbad spring salt, Thermal mud)	IV	81
17 Lithopone	V	34—37
18 Titanium Oxide		
19 Ultramarine blue	IV	118—121
20 Bronze Powder		
21 Machines and tools for dental surgery, respirating machines.		72 and 92

The full list of articles to be imported from Czechoslovakia under the Trade Agreement is published as Appendix 'A' to this Notice.

2. It is the intention of Government that full opportunity should be given for the import of all items covered by Trade Agreements upto the quantities specified therein. For this purpose all imports made from the beginning of the agreement period whether under Open General Licence or licences previously issued or issued after the date of Agreement have to be taken into account. Licences issued under Open General Licence XI or XV Concession Scheme will also be taken into account.

3. It should be noted that applications will generally be considered from established importers only unless new comers applications have been invited for the article. The question of granting licences against new comers applications for the trade-agreement items for which new comers applications have not specifically been invited can be considered after 10th December 1949 against the balance if any, left after established importers have secured their licences in full.

APPENDIX 'A'

List of articles to be imported from Czechoslovakia under trade agreement with country.

Serial No.	Commodity	Quantity or value
		£.
1	Coal tar dyes	50,000
2	Saccharine	3,000
3	Accessories for Textile Industry (shuttles bobbin dobbie lags with accessories)	30,000 (of which bobbins should not exceed £. 5,000).
4	Printing paper	130,000
5	Chains excluding twisted chains	16,000
6	Special Steel (Tool steel, construction steel)	34,500
7	Boilers, complete with piping	311,000

Serial No.	Commodity	Quantity or value
		£
8	Conveyors, pulley blocks etc.	7,250
9	Prime movers, Diesel engines and compressors	400,000
10	Equipment and machines for ceramic industry, machines for building construction.	3,750
11	Equipment and machines for chemical industries (including oil expellers.)	59,700
12	Equipment and machines for sugar mills.	219,360
13	Machine tools, tools and gauges for metal working	150,000
14	Wood Working machinery and tool	3,000
15	Textile machines	25,000
16	Industrial sewing machines and shoemakers' machinery	50,500
17	Agricultural machines and farmer pumps (only if power driven) including tube-well pumps.	57,500
18	Tractors and implements (specifications to be approved by the Indian Ministries concerned).	260,000
19	Electric motors over 30 H. P.	5,000
20	Electricity meters	35,000
21	Electric welding machines, electric hand tools and other appliances, electric testing instruments, and machines for laboratories.	6,000
22	Machines and tools for dental surgery, respirating machines	1,000
23	Photographic and motion picture cameras, machines and accessories.	10,000
24	Other fine machines water gauges	35,500
25	Steel castings and forgings	5,800
26	Lithophone	7,500
27	Titanium Oxide	2,400
28	Kangolite	3,500
29	Cresylic acid	11,500
30	Potassium Ferrocyanide	3,250
31	Newsprint (600 tons)	600 tons.
32	Mineral waters Thermal mud Carlsbad spring salt	£ 3,000
33	Tyres (only of types as per specifications supplied. India would have off the road and tractor types only).	25,000
34	Technical rubber products of specified types only including V. belts.	10,000
35	Bentwood furniture	10,000
36	Shoe-makers' requisites	2,500
37	Straw board paste-board, mill board and card board	5,000
38	Porcelain for technical use	500
39	Utility China	6,500
40	Utility Ceramics	7,000
41	Safety glass	10,000
42	Technical and laboratory glass	5,000
43	Lighting glass (no bulbs)	10,000
44	Wrapping glass	2,500
45	Table glass	2,500
46	Glass bangles	5,000
47	Wireless reception instruments	10,000

Serial No.	Commodity	Quality or value
		£
48	Sport firearms and ammunition	150,000
49	Hats and Fezes	2,000
50	Lead pencils copying and coloured pencils	500
51	Torch light cases and flash-light cases	10,000
52	Corkware/pressed Cork Crown Corks	5,000
53	Iron wire nettings	5,000

(the following additional items for exports from Czechoslovakia were also agreed to :—)

Commodities	Value £
1. Liquid gold	8,000
2. Ultra marine blue	7,000
3. Bronze powder	3,500
4. Tanning machinery	27,000
5. Domestic sewing machines	10,000
6. Shoe grindery	30,000
7. Chaff cutter knives	4,000
8. Alarm clocks and clocks	3,000
9. Leather belting	5,000

SUBJECT:—*Principles governing the issue of import licences for July—December, 1949.*

No. 1(23)-ITC/49.—In partial modification of the licensing position stated, in column 7 of Appendix 'E' to Public Notice No. 1-(23)-ITC/49 dated the 12th September, it has been decided that for the import of the following articles for which only Open General Licence No. XV concession licences were to be granted hereto-fore and certain items for which no applications had been invited fresh applications will now be considered for import from Soft Currency Countries subject to monetary ceilings and subject to quota or essentiality as specified below:—

S. No. of ITC Sch. 1	Description of goods	How goods will be licensed	Name of the authority whom application should be made
1	2	3	4

PART II.

3	Raw manilla Hemp (Fibre)	Subject to essentiality from actual users only.	Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Calcutta.
4	Raw Hemp excluding raw manilla hemp (Fibre).		
5	Raw Sisal fibre		
6	Aloe fibre		
7	Sisal yarn		
9	Electrodes only	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.	Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Calcutta.
26	(1) Graphite Crucibles for Pit fired furnaces.		
	(2) Graphite Crucibles for tilting furnaces.	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.	Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Calcutta.
	(3) Carborandum Crucibles for Pit fired furnaces.		
	(4) Carborandum Crucibles for tilting furnaces.		

1	2	3	4
39	<p>The following electrical instruments and accessories :—</p> <p>Indicating Switch board and Controller mounting Instrument (Voltmeters, Ammeters, Wattmeters, Power Factor Meters, Frequency meters, Synchroscopes).</p> <p>Portable instruments (Portable moving coil and moving Iron Voltmeters, Ammeters, Wattmeters, Power Factor-Meters, Frequency Meters)</p> <p>Recording Instruments Portable and Permanent fixing—recording Voltmeters, Ammeters, Wattmeters, Meg, Megers.</p> <p>Insulation testers and Accessories Ohmmeters Capacity. Meters, Maximum Demand Meters, Wheatstone Bridge, Fault Locating sets. Potentiometer, Instrument Transformers. Time Switches. Pyrometers, and Thermocouples. G.P.O. Detectors, Standard Accessories, Such as Connecting Leads, Compensating Leads,, Standard Cells Resistance Boxes and Galvanometers for use with instruments. House Services Meters A.C. and D.C. of any capacity</p>	<p>Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.</p>	<p>Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Calcutta.</p>
41	<p>(A) Synthetic Graphite and Amorphous Carbon Electrodes as used in Electric Furnaces for production of Iron, Steel Ferroalloy and Non-Ferrous Metals. Synthetic Graphite and Amorphous carbon electrodes for use in electrolytic processes. Carbon Furnace (Liner). Blocks for use in electric Furnaces.</p>	<p>Subject to quota and Monetary ceiling.</p>	<p>Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Calcutta.</p>
48	<p>(A) Electric Exploders</p>	<p>Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.</p>	<p>Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Calcutta.</p>
53	<p>Safety lamps and spare parts thereof.</p>	<p>Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.</p>	<p>Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Calcutta.</p>
PART IV.			
21	<p>Dates only</p>	<p>Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.</p>	<p>Import Trade Controller at the port concerned.</p>
38	<p>Copra or Coconut Kernel</p>	<p>Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.</p>	<p>Import Trade Controller at the port concerned.</p>
54	<p>Stearine</p>	<p>Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.</p>	<p>Import Trade Controller at the port concerned.</p>

1	2	3	4
84	Whisky . . .	Subject to monetary ceilings and quota of 60 per cent. on past imports of Brandy Gin & Whisky falling under this item of I.T.C. Schedule only.	Import Trade Controller at the port concerned.
105 & 106	Mineral Oils . . .	Subject to monetary ceiling & combined quota with other lubricants falling under Part V.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
109	Drugs and medicines all sorts not otherwise specified in this schedule.	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling for items mentioned in Appendix 'M' only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
110	Chemicals falling under items No. 28, 28(6), 28(7) and 28(8) of the First Schedule to the Indian Tariff Act, 1934, and Drugs & medicines falling under item No. 28(8) of that schedule, in packing upto and inclusive of 28 lbs. for goods in substance, and upto and inclusive of one Winchester quart for goods in liquid, but excluding articles specified in any serial of this Schedule.	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling for items mentioned in Appendix 'M' only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
117	Cinema films exposed . . .	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.	Import Trade Controller at the port concerned.
166	Duplicating stencils . . .	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.	Import Trade Controller at the port concerned.
183	Flax for linen making . . .	From Egypt under Trade Agreement and subject to quota and monetary ceiling	Import Trade Controller at the port concerned
286	Typewriters and parts . . .	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.	Import Trade Controller at the port concerned.
290	Component parts of Wireless Reception Instruments and Apparatus including all electric valves, amplifiers and loud-speakers which are not especially designed for purposes other than wireless reception or are not original of and imported along with instruments or apparatus as designed but excluding those mentioned in Part II of the Schedule.	Subject to quota and Monetary ceiling.	Import Trade Controller at the port.
293	Articles (other than rubber tyres and tubes and iron and steel belts and nuts for motor cars adapted for use as parts and accessories of motor cars, including taxi cars but excluding those mentioned in Part III of the Schedule.	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling. (A)	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi. (A) No licence will be granted for the following articles :— (1) Fan belts. (2) Motor Radiator Hose (3) Rubber Horn bulbs. (4) Motor Cycle handle grips. (5) Rubber Matting. (6) Hose pipes.

1	2	3	4
295	Articles (other than rubber tyres and tubes) adapted for use as parts and accessories of motor cycles and motor scooters, except such articles as are also adapted for use as parts and accessories of motor cars.	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling. (A)	
297	Parts of mechanically propelled vehicles and accessories not otherwise specified excluding rubber tyres and tubes and such parts and accessories of motor vehicles included in item No. 75(3) of the First Schedule to the Indian Tariff Act, 1934, as are also adapted for use as parts and accessories for motor cars.	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling. (A)	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
303	Photographic negatives and printing paper excluding X-ray film.	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.	Import Trade Controller at the port.
305	Photographic instruments and apparatus appliances, other than cinema, all sorts not otherwise specified.	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.	Import Trade Controller at the port.
325	Toys and games requisites only the following namely:— (i) Tennis rackets.	Subject to quota and Monetary ceiling. Proof of past imports of this item must be furnished.	Import Trade Controller at the port.
PART V			
1	Pulse	Subject to quota and monetary ceilings. No licences for Bengal Gram (Chana) will be granted.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
8	Greases all sorts, not otherwise specified including petroleum jellies, and paraffin wax.	Subject to quota and monetary ceilings. Quota will be joint for Sl. Nos. 8, 17 & 20 of Part V.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
15	Asphalt	Subject to "quota and monetary ceiling.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
45	Cigarette paper	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceilings to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
47	Wool, raw and wool tops	Subject to essentiality & monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
48	Woollen yarn not otherwise specified.	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
49	Woollen yarn for weaving and knitting wool, excluding hand knitting wool.	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
50	Yarn for belting	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
56	Rags and other paper making materials, excluding wood pulp.	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

1	2	3	4
58	Building and engineering bricks.	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
95	Tennis balls only . . .	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling. Proof of past imports of tennis balls must be given.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
108	Glucose all sorts . . .	Subject to quota and monetary ceiling.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
109	Micarta Sheets , . .	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
110	Nickel Catalyst . . .	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
122	(i) Flourapar . . .	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling to actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
	(ii) Creolyte . . .	Subject to essentiality and monetary ceiling for actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
	(iii) Cassin . . .	Subject to essentiality & monetary ceiling for actual users only.	Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.
	(iv) Staple fibre . . .	Subject to essentiality & monetary ceiling to actual users or importers who have orders from actual users, on the recommendations of the Textile Commissioner, Bombay.	Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Bombay.

2. It should be noted that application will be considered from actual users and/or established importers only as specified above. Applications should be submitted to the proper licensing authorities as specified in Column 4 above in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down in the Public Notice dated 12th September 1949 so as to reach him on or before 10th December 1949. No application will be considered from newcomers.

S. JAGANNATHAN, Joint Secy.

MINISTRY OF LABOUR

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 29th November 1949

No. L.R.1(97).—The following draft of an amendment to the Industrial Disputes (Central) Rules, 1947, which the Central Government propose to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 (XIV of 1947), is hereby published as required by sub-section (1) of the said section for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 5th December 1949.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person in respect of the said draft will be considered by the Central Government.

Draft Amendment

Rule 12 of the said Rules shall be deleted.

N. C. KUPPUSWAMI, Under Secy.